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In re the Application of: **KOBAYASHI, Shinya, et al.**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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November 8, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **August 11, 2004**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.